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Examiner: N. S. Levy

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated September 16, 2009 ("the Action"), Applicants provide the following Amendment and Remarks together with a Request for a one-month extension of time. As an initial matter, Applicants respectfully request an interview with Examiner Levy and his supervisor if the application is not in condition for allowance after consideration of the present response.

Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are reflected at page 2 of this document.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.